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cases are reported. An infected water supply is believed to be the source of the infection.

A report of sanitary conditions in Kanagawa-ken shows, from January 1 to May 27, 6 cases of dysentery, 139 of typhoid fever, and 1 case of smallpox. Of the typhoid fever cases 56 occurred in Yokohama. (Population of Yokohama, 326,035; population of Kanagawa-ken, 776,685.)

MEXICO.

Report from the Superior Board of Health of Mexico.

In compliance with articles 1 and 2' of the International Sanitary Convention held at Washington October 9-14, 1905, the president of the Superior Board of Health of Mexico reports, June 20, that no case of yellow fever and no death from the said disease were registered in the Mexican Republic during the week ended June 18, and that the prophylactic measures reported under date of September 28, 1908, continue to be carried out.

PROGRESO—Inspection and Fumigation of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Harrison reports:

Week ended June 11. Four vessels were inspected and 1 vessel was fumigated. They carried an aggregate of 248 in crews and 22 passengers.

There has been a marked increase in the number of mosquitoes following the frequent rains.

NICARAGUA.

BLUEFIELDS, Fruit Port—Inspection of Vessels—Sanitary Work.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Jumel reports:

Bills of health issued as follows:

Week ended June 7.

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Crew.	Passengers from this port.	Passengers in transit.
June 1	Marietta di Giorgio.....	.....	19	.....	.....
2	Utstein.....	.....	16	.....	.....
5	Imperator.....	.....	22	13	.....
5	U. S. S. Paducah.....	.....	154	.....	.....

Stegomyia calopus are abundant. On June 4 the United States marine and naval forces on shore began the work of local sanitary improvement in order to safeguard the health of their respective commands and prevent an outbreak of infectious disease. Streets are being graded and drained and the usual precautionary measures carried out.

Sanitary Conditions.

Doctor Jumel further reports, June 8:

Bluefields is situated along the water front of an almost land-locked lagoon 7 miles from the Caribbean Sea and is built upon an undulating plateau. It has an estimated population of 3,000, the majority